



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **KURODA, Daisuke, et al.**

Group Art Unit: 1793

Serial No.: 10/535,422

Examiner: **ZHU, Weiping**

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FOR: MEDICAL DEVICE FOR LIVING SOFT TISSUE AND METHOD OF PRODUCTION OF SAME

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 16, 2009

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 24, 2009, the period for response extended to July 24, 2009, by a one-month Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.